

April 21, 2014

Town of Golden Meadow  
107 Jervis Drive  
Golden Meadow, LA 70357

The Mayor and Council of the Town of Golden Meadow met for their regular meeting on Monday, April 21, 2014, at 7:00 P.M. at the Town Hall, 107 Jervis Drive, Golden Meadow, LA 70357.

Those present were: Mayor Joey Bouziga  
Councilman David Adams  
Councilman Jody Cheramie  
Councilman Lindberg Lorraine  
Councilman Priscilla Mounic  
Councilman Willis Touns

Others attending were Bryce Autin, Salvador Gonzalez, Libby Griffin, Sr., Jamie Liner, Dolly Pitre, Chief Reggie Pitre, and John Plaisance.

Mayor Joey Bouziga called the meeting to order at 7:00 P. M.

Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded approving the minutes from the previous meeting held on Monday, April 7, 2014. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman David Adams led everyone in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance and Councilman Jody Cheramie led everyone in prayer.

Mayor Joey Bouziga informed the Council no building permits were submitted for approval.

Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Lindberg Lorraine seconded approving an Occupational License for Bayou Industrial Supply, LLC, 1300 North Bayou Drive, Golden Meadow, LA. 70357, owners Pershing J. St. Pierre, Jr. and Christopher Plaisance. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded approving and Occupational License for Original USA General Labor, LLC, 1300 North Bayou Drive, Golden Meadow, LA 70357, owner Pershing J. St. Pierre, Jr. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman Jody Cheramie presented a motion and Councilman Lindberg Lorraine seconded approving and Occupational License for USA Environmental Services, Inc., 187 B & R Lane, Golden Meadow, LA 70357, owners Pershing J. St. Pierre, Jr. and Lloyd Griffin. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga presented the clean-up report as follows:

- Cherafia Rodrigue – 130 Pelican Lane has been cleaned.
- Congetta Arnette/Durvin Lombas – 2411-A North Bayou Drive received a clean-up letter. The deadline for cleaning is May 15, 2014.

- Evelyn Smith – 2710 South Bayou Drive received a complaint regarding tall grass along the fence. Councilman Priscilla Mounic presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded approving a clean-up letter be sent. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.
- Lincoln Martin – Norman Street received a complaint regarding tall grass. Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Lindberg Lorraine seconded approving a clean-up letter be sent. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga presented the dangerous building report as follows:

- Louis Adam Griffin C/O Jerry Griffin – 143 Griffin Lane dangerous building has been demolished, but trash remains. Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Lindberg Lorraine seconded approving a letter be sent to Mr. Griffin. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.
- AdVal, Inc. 133 Meadow Lane – the dangerous building located at 133 Meadow Lane has stopped being demolished. Councilman Willis Toups said half the house has been demolished.
- Dinah Stallings – 508 South Bayou Drive. No improvements have been noted and no windows have been replaced. Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Priscilla Mounic seconded approving a summons be issued for the next court date. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.
- Natilus Alario, Jr. – 713 – A North Bayou Drive dangerous building has been sent to the Building Inspector for review.
- Phyllis Duet Moody – North Bayou Drive – dangerous building has been removed.

Engineer John Plaisance presented the project report as follows:

- Sewer North Plant Upgrades – will schedule a meeting between Engineer John Plaisance and Town Foreman Salvador Gonzalez, Jr.
- Sewer Phase IV – rights-of-ways are progressing.
- Sewer Phase V – submitted application for funding to LCDBG.
- Seawall Phase I Repairs – plans are complete and we should begin advertising for construction bids.
- Seawall Phase III – additional funds have been requested from the State Capital Outlay Funds.
- Crossover at Frank's Supermarket – construction continues.
- Fueling System – the first tank was installed including the electronic system and the second fuel tank should be installed sometime in May.
- Basketball Pavilion – half of the foundation has been poured and the second half should be completed within the next few weeks.
- Town Hall Improvements Project – pending construction advertisements.

Attorney Bryce Autin presented the Attorney's Report as follows:

- LeBro, Inc. – lawsuit has been placed on hold.

- Sewer Ordinance – research has been completed and we are drafting the new ordinance.
- Sale of Surplus Property – no bids were received at the last meeting. We will send a letter to Mr. Ronald Leicher re-addressing the situation.
- Outstanding taxes collections have been signed by the Town Clerk and will be filed for collection.
- Outstanding sewer bills will be filed and legal action will begin.
- Councilman Willis Touts presented a motion and Councilman Lindberg Lorraine seconded approving Attorney Bryce Autin begin the legal process for the Mark Boudreaux property.

Councilman Willis Touts presented a sewer complaint from Mr. Harold Plaisance. Mayor Joey Bouziga requested Councilman Lindberg Lorraine address the problem and present a report at a later date.

Councilman Willis Touts informed the Council, the Chief of Police, Councilman David Adams, and I met and discussed Police Department Employees. Chief Reggie Pitre stated Golden Meadow Officers are now working nights and day shifts are also being covered by Golden Meadow Officers most of the time so we are not so dependent on the Lafourche Parish Sheriff's Office.

Mayor Joey Bouziga requested audience comments.

Ms. Libby Griffin addressed the Mayor and Council regarding 133 Meadow Lane. Ms. Griffin requested an extension to complete demolishing the dangerous building located on the property. Councilman also discussed the removal of debris on the property. After a brief discussion Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded approving a deadline of June 2, 2014 be set for the demolition completion. The Council unanimously approved a motion as presented.

Mayor Joey Bouziga requested adding approving a public hearing on Monday, May 5, 2014 at 6:45 to discuss a revised sales tax ordinance. No audience comments were presented. Councilman Willis Touts presented a motion and Councilman David Adams seconded approving Mayor Joey Bouziga add the aforesaid to the agenda. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded approving a Public Hearing on Monday, May 5, 2014 to discuss a revised Sales Tax Ordinance. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

Chief Reggie Pitre reminded everyone to go out and vote on May 3, 2014.

With no further business to discuss, Councilman David Adams presented a motion and Councilman Jody Cheramie seconded adjourning this meeting at 7:26 P.M. The Council unanimously approved the motion as presented.

**ATTESTED:**

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**JAMIE LINER, TOWN CLERK**

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**MAYOR JOEY BOUZIGA**

